

## MICHIGAN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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## MINUTES OF THE COMMITTEE ON

**COMMERCE AND TRADE** 

Tuesday, April 25, 2017

10:30 a.m.

Room 519 House Office Building

The House Standing Committee on Commerce and Trade was called to order by the Chair.

Chairman Leutheuser requested attendance be called to establish a quorum of the appointed committee members:

Members present: Reps. Leutheuser, Garcia, Hughes, Kesto, McCready, Iden, Frederick, Hornberger, Rendon, Schor, Greimel, Byrd, Geiss, Camilleri and Scott.

Members absent/excused: None

Representative Garcia moved to approve the minutes from the March 28th, 2017 meeting.

There being no objection, the motion was approved by unanimous consent.

Chairman Leutheuser laid the presentation on the Nicholson Terminal & Dock Company before the committee.

Patrick Sutka, CFO of Nicholson Terminal & Dock Company, and Daniel Deane, President of Nicholson Terminal & Dock Company, gave a presentation on their company. Questions and discussion followed.

Chairman Leutheuser laid the presentation on Michigan's Automobile Industry before the committee.

Jim Kvedaras, Director of United States Government Affairs (CN), Sarah Slazinski, Director of Sales Automotive for Canadian National Railway (CN), and Jon Cool, representing the Michigan Railroads Association, gave the presentation to the committee. Questions and discussion followed

Jim Byrum, representing the Michigan Agri-Business Association, testified about Michigan's Automobile Industry.

There being no further business before the committee, the Chair adjourned the meeting at 12:01 p.m.

Representative Eric Leutheuser, Chair\_\_\_\_\_

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